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	b. A fixed standard greater than the amount which would be used if the formula described in Section 1924(d)(1)(C) were used. The standard used is \$
	X 2b. The standards described above are used for individuals

- X 2b. The standards described above are used for individuals receiving home and community based waiver services in lieu of services provided in a medical and remedial care institution.
- X 2c. Definition of Dependency

The definition of dependency below is used to define dependent children, parents and siblings for purposes of deducting allowances under Section 1924.

A family member meets the definition of dependency if he or she meets the following criteria:

- (1) Is a child, parent, or sibling of the institutionalized or community spouse; and
- (2) Resides with community spouse; and
- (3) Has income below the dependency income level which is determined by either of the following steps based on the most advantageous method for the client and cost efficient for the agency:
  - (a) As first step -
    - (i) is claimed as a dependent for federal tax purposes by the institutionalized or community spouse; or
    - (ii) has gross income less than the full SSI FBR.

NOTE: If not claimed as dependent or income exceeds the FPR limit, step two is used.

(b) As second step (if needed) -

(i) meets the IRS definition of dependent

NOTE: In no instance will a finding of dependency be denied in the absence of the development of the IRS definition of dependency.

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	3.	For children, each family member where there is no community spouse living in the home with the Children.  AFDC Level  \$  PET HOFA 5-5-92
		Medically Needy Level \$ Other as follows \$ (See Item 1 on page 1 of Supplement 1 to Attachment 2.6-A).
	4.	Amounts for incurred medical expenses not subject to payment by a third party.
		a. Health insurance premiums, deductibles and coinsurance charges. Effective October 1, 1988, these expenses are allowed as income deductions at one hundred percent (100%) of actual expenses incurred by the individual if such expenses are the legal obligation of the individual.
		b. Necessary medical or remedial care not covered under the Medicaid plan (Reasonable limits on amounts are described in <u>Supplement 3 to Attachment</u> 2.6-A).
	5.	An amount for maintenance of a single individual's home for not longer than 6 months, if a physician has certified he or she is likely to return home within that period.
		Yes. Amount for maintenance of home
		X No.
1902(1) of the Act	6.	SSI benefits paid under Sections $1611(e)(1)(E)$ and (G) of the Act to individuals who receive care in a hospital or NF.
435.733	7.	Amounts of mandatory withholdings over which the individual has no discretion.
		a. Federal, state, and local taxes that are required to be deducted before payment is made to payee.
		b. Those mandatory payroll (earned income) deductions that are a condition to employment.
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STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Georgia

ELIGIBILITY CONDITIONS AND REQUIREMENTS

Citation(s)

Condition or Requirement

42 CFR 435.711 435.721, 435.831

## C. Financial Eligibility

For individuals who are AFDC or SSI recipients, the income and resource levels and methods for determining countable income and resources of the AFDC and SSI program apply, unless the plan provides for more restrictive levels and methods than SSI for SSI recipients under section 1902(f) of the Act, or more liberal methods under section 1902(r)(2) of the Act, as specified below.

For individuals who are not AFDC or SSI recipients in a non-section 1902(f) State and those who are deemed to be cash assistance recipients, the financial eligibility requirements specified in this section C apply.

- \* Supplement 1 to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A specifies the income levels for mandatory and optional categorically needy groups of individuals, including individuals with incomes related to the Federal income poverty level--pregnant women and infants or children covered under sections 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(IV), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VI), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VII), and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IX) of the Act and aged and disabled individuals covered under section
- \*\* 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(X) of the Act--and for mandatory groups of qualified Medicare beneficiaries covered under section 1902(a)(10)(E)(i) of the Act.

<sup>\*</sup> Cite should include 1902(a)(10)(E)(ii)

<sup>\*\*</sup> Georgia does not cover individuals described at 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(X)

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Supplement 2 to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A specifies the resource levels for mandatory and optional categorically needy poverty level related groups, and for medically needy groups.

Supplement 7 to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A specifies the income levels for categorically needy aged, blind and disabled persons who are covered under requirements more restrictive than SSI.

Supplement 4 to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A specifies the methods for determining income eligibility used by States that have more restrictive methods than SSI, permitted under section 1902(f) of the Act.

Supplement 5 to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A specifies the methods for determining resource eligibility used by States that have more restrictive methods than SSI, permitted under section 1902(f) of the Act.

Supplement 8a to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A specifies the methods for determining income eligibility used by States that are more liberal than the methods of the cash assistance programs, permitted under section 1902(r)(2) of the Act.

Supplement 8b to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A specifies the methods for determining resource eligibility used by States that are more liberal than the methods of the cash assistance programs, permitted under section 1902(r)(2) of the Act.

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1902(r)(2) of the Act				. AFD	C-rela	ted i	ning Income  ndividuals (except for poverty pregnant women, infants, and
				(1)	AFDC	-rela	nining countable income for ated individuals, the following are used:
						(a)	The methods under the State's approved AFDC plan only; or
					<u> </u>	(b)	The methods under the State's approved AFDC plan and/or any more liberal methods described in Supplement 8a to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A
				(2)	resp the hous inco livi	onsik incom eholo me of	nining relative financial cility, the agency considers only me of spouses living in the same as available to spouses and the parents as available to children the parents until the children
1902(e)(6) the Act				(3)	elig 1902 rega fami 60-d any	ible (a)(1 ird to ly of lay per	ontinues to treat women under the provisions of sections (0) of the Act as eligible, without or any changes in income of the which she is a member, for the eriod after her pregnancy ends and uning days in the month in which the falls.

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## STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

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42 CFR 435.721 435.831, and 1902(m)(1)(B),(m)(4) and 1902(r)(2) of the Act	income indivipovers 1902 (rare us	Individuals. In determining countable for aged individuals, including aged duals with incomes up to the Federal level described in section (1) (1) of the Act, the following methods sed:  The methods of the SSI program only.  The methods of the SSI program and/or any more liberal methods described in Supplement at the ATTACHMENT 2.6-A.

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		For individuals other than optional State supplement recipients, more restrictive methods than SSI, applied under the provisions of Section 1902(f) of the Act, as specified in Supplement 4 to Attachment 2.6-A; and any more liberal methods described in Supplement 8a to Attachment 2.6-A.		
1611(e)(5)	<u> </u>	For institutional couples, the methods specified under Section 1611(e)(5) of the Act.		
•		Those institutionalized couples who reside in the same nursing facility shall have their incomes combined for purposes of determining eligibility for medical assistance if counting their incomes separately would result in denial of medical assistance to a member of the couple. Notwithstanding any other regulations or policies to the contrary, in determining eligibility for such couples, income of the couple shall be applied to a special income limit equal to two times the special income limit (300% of the full FBR) applied to an individual seeking medical assistance as a resident in a nursing facility.		
		For optional State supplement recipients under Section 435.230, income methods more liberal than SSI, as specified in Supplement 4 to Attachment 2.6-A.		
		For optional State supplement recipients in Section 1902(f) States and SSI criteria States without Section 1616 or 1634 agreements		
		SSI methods only.		
		SSI methods and/or any more liberal methods than SSI described in		

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Methods more restrictive and/or more liberal than SSI. More restrictive methods are described in Supplement 4 to Attachment 2.6-A and more liberal methods are described in Supplement 8a to Attachment 2.6-A.

In determining relative financial responsibility, the agency considers only the income of spouses living in the same household as available to spouses.

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42 CFR 435.721 and 435.831 1902(m)(1)(B), (m) (4), and 1902 (r)(2)	c. Blind individuals. In determining countable income for blind individuals, the following methods are used:
of the Act	X The methods of the SSI program only.
	SSI methods and/or any more liberal methods described in Supplement 8a to Attachment 2.6-A.
	For individuals other than optional State supplement recipients, more restricti methods than SSI, applied under the provisions of Section 1902(f) of the Act, as specified in Supplement 4 to Attachment 2.6-A, and any more liberal methods described in Supplement 8a to Attachment 2.6-A.
L611(e)(5)	X For institutional couples, the methods specified under Section 1611(e)(5) of the Act.
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	For optional State supplement recipients

under Section 435.230, income methods more liberal than SSI, as specified in Supplement 4 to Attachment 2.6-A.

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		For optional State supplement recipients in Section 1902(f) States and SSI criteria States without Section 1616 or 1634 agreements
		SSI methods only.
		SSI methods and/or any more liberal methods than SSI described in Supplement 8a to Attachment 2.6-A.
		Methods more restrictive and/or more liberal than SSI. More restrictive methods are described in Supplement
		4 to Attachment 2.6-A and more liberal methods are described in Supplement 8a to Attachment 2.6-A.